



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

PAMPARANA

Application Serial No.: 09/869,333

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Examiner: HENLEY III, R.J.

Attorney Docket No.: 101615-00012

For: ESSENTIAL FATTY ACIDS IN THE PREVENTION OF CARDIOVASCULAR EVENTS

February 5, 2004

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time of three (3) months for responding to the outstanding official action dated August 5, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3), please find attached a check in the amount of \$1720.00 to cover the Extension fee of \$950.00 and RCE fee of \$770.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Attorney Docket No. 101615-00012.

Respectfully submitted,

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